

The Tobacco Problem!

Those best posted on the tobacco situation have agreed that smaller crops and better quality is the only solution to the problem. What you raise make it good and you'll get a good price no matter what the conditions. You can't raise good tobacco without good plants and good plants can be grown only under Canvas in these days, plentiful in bugs, flies and changing temperature. By a fortunate purchase before the rise in cotton we are able to offer the same prices on Canvas as we had last year, although cotton is twice as high:

Poor Quality, 1 1-4 cents,
Fair Quality, 2 cents,
Good Quality, 2 1-2 cents,
Better Quality, 3 cents,
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AT COST AND BELOW!

A large line of Chases' Pattern

Plush Lap Robes.

Also a large line of

Duck and Leather Leggings

Go at Cost and Below. Here's a chance to save 25 to 30 per cent.

WE HAVE FULL LINE OF

Horse Blankets, Storm Covers, &c.,

That go in this sale at 15 per cent Reduction. If you need anything in these lines come and see what we will save you.

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207 South Main St.

REV. HENRY SWEETS

Unanimously Called to Pastorate of Ninth St. Church.

One of the Ablest Young Presbyterian Divines in Kentucky.

The Ninth Street Presbyterian church on Sunday by unanimous vote extended a call to Rev. Henry R. Sweets and will send a committee to Louisville to urge him to accept the pastorate. Mr. J. E. McPherson, Judge W. T. Fowler and Councilman J. B. Galtbreath constitute the committee and they will wait upon him about Friday. Mr. Sweets is now pastor of Lee's Memorial church in Louisville, a mission church that he has greatly built up since he became its pastor several years ago. He is one of the rising young ministers of his denomination. Still under 30, he is a pulpit orator of wide reputation and a young man of the most lovable personal character. He is a native of Elizabethtown, Ky. The church here will be fortunate indeed if he can be induced to come. The pastorate is financially a much more desirable one than his church at Louisville.

LINDLE BROUGHT HERE

And Later Was Taken to the Eddyville Prison.

J. B. Lindley, who was last week convicted at Madisonville of the killing of Jesse Burton, of Earlington, last July, and given 21 years in the penitentiary, spent Sunday night in jail here. He was brought to Hopkinsville by the Hopkins county officers, who left here for Eddyville with their prisoner at 11:30 yesterday.

Circuit court is still in session at Madisonville and there are other prisoners from that place to be taken to the penitentiary, but it is understood that there were rumors of a mob and the authorities thought it best to remove Lindley to Eddyville at once.

DAVENPORT-SCHOPPERT.

Wedding Will Take Place Near Crofton To-Day.

Mr. W. H. Davenport and Miss Ethel Schoppert, young people living near Crofton, will be married to-day. The Rev. H. C. Beckett, of this city, will perform the ceremony.

Mr. Davenport is a son of Mr. G. H. Davenport and was formerly an attendant at the Western Asylum. Miss Schoppert is a daughter of Mr. J. W. Schoppert.

VICTIM OF PNEUMONIA.

Marion Walker, Aged 22 Years, Dies Here.

Mr. Marion Walker, a young man aged about 22, died Sunday morning at the residence of Mr. Robert Vaughn, on Elm street. Death was due to pneumonia, following an attack of measles.

The remains were interred in the Hamby burying ground, near Larkin, yesterday.

LAND SALE.

Mr. Geo. W. Wills Sells 40 Acres of Farm Land.

Mr. Geo. W. Wills, of The Square, has sold a portion of his fine 445 acre farm, one of the best in the county, to Mr. P. P. Huffman. Mr. Huffman bought 40 acres of it, the consideration being \$2,000. Possession has already been given. The tract contains a house.

Frank Peckston, of Fairview, who came from England 17 years ago, died last week, aged 59 years. He was generally known as "Peck."

SKIRMISH

Said to Have Taken Place in Korea.

Heavy Fighting Expected to Take Place This Week by Land Forces.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 29.—A skirmish is reported to have taken place between a Russian cavalry detachment and the Japanese infantry encamped near Ping Yang, Korea. Reports of the result differ, both sides claiming to have gained a victory. The situation is quiet at Port Arthur. The announcement by Maj. Gen. Plug that Russian cavalry has crossed the Yalu river is expected at St. Petersburg to be followed by reports of rather heavy land fighting, and Gen. Lenevitch is said to have sent an army corps of infantry to the support of the Cossacks.

FOUR OLD HULKS.

Japanese Tried the Hobson Act But It Didn't Work.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 25.—It has turned out that there was no real battle at Port Arthur on Tuesday. A number of torpedo boat destroyers escorted four old merchant vessels into the mouth of the outer harbor for the purpose of sinking them. They were loaded with stones, the object being to bottle up the Russian fleet. The object was discovered and the cruisers Bayah, Noviek and Askold opened fire on them. Two of the stone-laden vessels were sunk and two others were driven on the shore, all having been abandoned by the Japanese. The Japanese vessels returned the fire, but the contest was brief and without result.

During the firing twenty-three Japanese vessels cruised around the outside of the harbor, waiting for a chance to attack the Russian fleet if it should come out, but the latter confined its attention to the hulks and were not deceived by the ruse attempted by the Japanese.

The czar telegraphed his warm congratulations to Admiral Alexieff, but there is a feeling of chagrin among the people here on account of the fiasco, which in no way bore out the promises of victory held out by the early telegrams.

The Retvisan and the Czarevitch, which were injured in the first battle with the Japanese fleet, will have to go to the dry docks, and will not be ready for service in two months. They will be taken to Vladivostok when the Japanese fleet will allow them to go.

SERVED OUT TERM

In Tennessee and Will be brought to Eddyville.

Babe Cross, who is serving a term in the penitentiary at Nashville, will be released in a day or two, but the sheriff of Warren county will be there to take him in custody and bring him to the Eddyville penitentiary in this State. In 1901 Cross was tried in Clarksville and given three years in the "pen" at Nashville, but escaped from the officer by jumping from the train. He at once made his way to Kentucky. He was later tried at Bowling Green for horse stealing in two cases, and given eight years in one case and four in the other, but was turned over to the Tennessee authorities to first serve out his term there.

Goes to Nortonville.

Mr. Geo. M. Steele has sold out his business here and will shortly move to Nortonville, where he will succeed Mr. G. W. Elgin in the hotel business.

Administrator Appointed.

The Planters Bank and Trust company has been appointed administrator of the estate of the late W. T. Bonte.

Here is Your Opportunity!

Will sell until March 1st, all of my Winter Dress Goods at ACTUAL COST. This is no idle talk, come and see. All our Gentleman's, Ladies' and Children's Underwear AT COST. Cloaks at COST and less than cost.

T. M. JONES,

New Line Carpets and Matting.

EGG FARM

Will Be Established By Mr. P. P. Huffman.

Mr. P. P. Huffman has bought forty acres of fine land on the Clarksville pike and has established an egg farm on a large scale. He has already bought 400 hens and will increase his laying stock to 1,000 hens. His object is not to raise poultry, but to supply fresh eggs for the market. All last year the local prices of eggs were maintained at 12½ to 15 cents and in the cities the price ranged much higher. His plant will be on the T. C. Railroad and convenient to Nashville, Paducah and other cities, and his idea is to supply strictly fresh eggs to the hotels and other customers who want the best guaranteed stock. He will not use thoroughbred hens at least for the present, but is gathering farm bred fowls as fast as he can find them, and is even now ready to begin selling eggs. Mr. Huffman will cultivate his small farm in raising supplies for his poultry plant and will devote his attention exclusively to the egg business. Few people realize the profits in fowls when they are properly cared for and systematically fed for egg production. The varieties of fowls bred for eggs alone are capable of producing 200 or more eggs in a year, while the poorest layers produce about 140 to the hen. If Mr. Huffman's 1,000 hens lay 15 eggs each per month from now to Sept. 1st, he will gather about 8,500 dozen fresh eggs, which at 12½ cents per dozen would bring him in \$1,020 in cash, or a net profit of near \$1 to the hen and he would still have his stock to sell at pound rates, or to continue laying eggs. Mr. Huffman has hit upon what is destined to be a money making venture.

BANK OF KIRKMANSVILLE

Will be Ready For Business About April 1.

A new bank will be established at Kirkmansville and will be ready for business by April 1. The officers are: J. N. Pepper, president; J. H. Rowe, 1st vice-president; J. R. Heltsley, 2nd vice president; R. E. Glenn, Jr., cashier.

Among the stockholders are, D. M. Lacy, J. N. Lacy, J. M. Rice, Bud Dukes, R. C. Howard, R. E. Glenn, Sr., Thos. Pepper, J. E. Lear and C. E. Gill.

COTTON AND FRUITS

Will be Grown Instead of so much Tobacco.

Quite a number of farmers of the Saddleboro neighborhood, near Guthrie, have mutually agreed to put in 1,200 acres of cotton, besides small fruits and vegetables which they will ship to the Northern markets. The step was taken owing to discouraging tobacco conditions.

CHRISTIAN COUNTY BOY

Making Big Success in His Arkansas Home.

The many friends of Mr. D. E. Barbee, formerly of this county, will be pleased to learn of his success in his new home in Arkansas. Mr. Barbee is secretary and treasurer of a manufacturing establishment in Little Rock. A recent issue of the Arkansas Gazette contained the following notice of the firm:

"A deal has been consummated by which the Voss-Barbee Manufacturing Co. becomes owner of the property at Ferry and Markham streets, which was formerly owned by Wing & Stephens.

Announcement is made that the company will erect on the site a capacious three story brick building, which will be used for factory and offices. The building will occupy ground space 100 by 150 feet. It is estimated that the improvements will cost about \$20,000.

The Voss Barbee Manufacturing Company began business in June, 1892. So rapidly has it expanded that that the company is selling not only in Arkansas, but in Louisiana, Texas, Indian Territory and Oklahoma. Enlarged facilities have become necessary and to that end the company is taking the steps here chronicled.

Besides manufacturing saddles and harness, the company will put in an up-to-date collar factory. It is expected that the company will be able to occupy the new quarters by June 1."

SHOCKING ACCIDENT.

Two Women Run Down and Killed by Train.

L. & N. through train no 53, south bound, which passes Hopkinsville at 5:40 a. m. struck and killed two young women near Goodlettsville, Tenn., Saturday morning. The accident was unavoidable.

Misses Margaret and Mary Patton were carrying the mail on a rural route and on reaching a point where the track run and where the train cannot be seen until it is almost upon one, they started across and were run down. The train was going at a good rate of speed and it was impossible to see the wagon or its occupants until too late to slacken speed and avert the catastrophe. The bodies were thrown some distance by the train, and when picked up Miss Margaret Patton was dead. Miss Mary Patton lived about one hour.

"Gosch-Dam."

This is the headline of Chicago's leading newspaper announcing the marriage of Mr. Chas. E. Gosch to Miss Anna B. Dam. Therefore it is not Anna B. Dam any longer, but Anna B. Gosch.—Paducah Register.